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MEMO FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: F & W Publication

1. Messrs. Garfield and Bouchard, Fish & Wildlife/Interior, showed to [redacted] and me a draft memorandum from their agency stating that CIA saw no objection to republication of material used in their contribution to Section 61 if the classified material were removed and if the Bureau of Commercial Fisheries footed the bill for printing. I said we had not expected the Bureau to republish any NIS material. I said that if the Bureau wished to establish an unclassified series of their own, such as that of the Office of Education (showing them samples) which bore no resemblance to the NIS, they were free to do so. Our policy had always been that the unclassified portion of their files was their own property after they had fulfilled their commitments to the NIS. Best of all, I said, would be for the Bureau to establish such an unclassified series of publications which we in turn would be free to use.

2. Mr. Garfield said this would be expensive for them if they had to hire a rewrite man. Could they use the annotated base map submitted to Section 61? I pointed out that unclassified base maps are available for their use, but if their annotations on the base map and any of the accompanying text were to be identical with that in the NIS, security violations would be invited.

3. They retrieved their memorandum and departed with it, saying that if the Bureau decided to establish a series of publications unrelated to the NIS, it would inform us as a matter of interest.

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